Cases registered against officers in CIL

†2104. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of officers of the rank of General Manager and above in CIL, against whom cases of corruption, irregularities of serious nature and other criminal cases were registered as on 30th June, 2002;

(b) what are the places, where these cases are registered; and

(c) what are the details of promotion given to each of them during the period of pendency of charges and inquiry?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL AND MINES (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD): (a) and (b) As on 30th June, 2002, the following cases have been registered/investigated against the officers of the rank of General Manager and above in Coal India Limited and its subsidiaries:—

Company	Registered/Investigated by CBI		Registered/Investigated by Vigilance Department		Total	
	Case	Persons Involved	Case	Persons Involved	Case	Persons Involved
ECL	4	8	4	6	8	14
BCCL	16	30	11	16	27	46
CCL	11	15	17	22	28	37
WCL	1	1	7	7	8	8
SECL	4	3	4	4	8	7
MCL	-	-	9	9	9	9
NCL	2	2	12	12	14	14
CMPDIL	-	-	3	3	3	3
CIL	-	-	1	1	1	1
TOTAL	38	59	68	80	106	139

(c) As per rules, no executive against whom charges are pending has been promoted except one officer who has been granted ad-hoc promotion.

Royalty by BALCO

†2105. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

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(a) what is the quantum of bauxite and other minerals extracted by BALCO management during the year 2001-2002 from Chhattisgarh and Madhya Pradesh;

(b) what are the places, where these mines are located;

(c) what is the amount of royalty received therefrom; and

(d) what are the details of conditions laid down for mineral extraction?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL AND MINES (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD): (a) and (b) As per information received from BALCO, they had mined out 296165.518 MT of Bauxite from their mines located at Mainpat in Sarguja district, in the State of Chhattisgarh during the year 2001-02. No Bauxite had been mined in the State of Madhya Pradesh in the year 2001-2002. No other minerals have been mined out by BALCO either in the State of Chhattisgarh or Madhya Pradesh.

(c) BALCO has informed that they have paid Rs. 170.03 lakh as royalty during the year 2001-02 to the State of Chhattisgarh.

(d) The general conditions of a mining lease are detailed under part-III of the Model Form of Mining Lease (Form K) as prescribed under Rules 31 of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960. The conditions, *inter alia,* stipulate that

(i) the lessee shall pay specified dead rent/royalty.

(ii) the lessee shall also pay specified surface rent and water rate.

(iii) the lessee shall keep accounts and records of the mineral extracted and complete plan of the mine.

(iv) the lessee shall observe the provisions of Mines Act 1952 and Mineral Conservation & Development Rules 1988.

Drive to cut down Expenditure

†2106. SHRI MUNAVVAR HASAN: Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) the year-wise amount spent on various heads by departments and undertakings under his Ministry for promotion, advertising, protocol refreshment, inauguration, seminar, conference, hotels, travelling (including

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